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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is an Amendment.

No fee is believed to be required. However, if any fee is required, please use Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

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AMENDMENT

S I R:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 5, 1999, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please delete lines 1 - 5 of page 1.

In the Claims

Please amend claim 1 as follows: